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WEEKLY CALENDAR

Monday

Women's chorus, studio of Mrs. E. E. Gore, Sparta building, at 7:30.

Tuesday

Women's Foreign Missionary society of the southern district of the Methodist church will hold an all-day group meeting in the parlors of the church, starting at 10 o'clock.

St. Ann's Altar society, at the parish hall.

Wednesday

Priscilla circle will meet at the home of Mrs. Moffatt with Mrs. Haskell as hostess.

Business meeting of the Rowena circle, home of Mrs. Latimer, 817 West Second.

Social meeting of the Thimble club of Chrysanthemum circle No. 84, Neighbors of Woodcraft, at the home of Neighbor Martha Gall, 4 South Orange street, at 8 p. m.

H. N. O. club will meet at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Thompson on Washington street Wednesday evennig.

Thursday

Building Bridge club will be entertained at the home of Mrs. H. W. Kiersted of 922 South Oakdale.

Medford Garden club meeting at the Hotel Medford, 7:45 p. m.

Delphian groups will meet with Mrs. Crawford Lemmons and Mrs. Sheppard at 9:30 a. m.

Roosevelt Parent-Teachers at the school at 3 o'clock.

Friday

St. Mark's regular cafeteria luncheon at St. Mark's parish house, 12:30 p. m.

Saturday

Dixie club meeting, home of Mrs. John Crews, 2:30 p. m.

Medford Garden Club To Meet Thursday Evening

The next regular meeting of the Medford Garden club will be held at the Hotel Medford Thursday, May 2, at 7:45 p. m. All members are urged to attend and all others are cordially invited.

Mr. Wilcox, the county agent, will talk on insect pests in flowers and gardens, and suggest ways of controlling them. This will be a practical, helpful talk, which every gardener should hear.

Mrs. Swigart, president of the garden club, urges that much business is to be attended to and everyone should endeavor to attend.

Mrs. Eric Wold and Mrs. Gerdes will have charge of the chamber of commerce windows for the week beginning April 29, and anyone having flowers they wish to donate please call these ladies. Such generosity will be appreciated.

Sincere thanks are due to the Oregon Gardens of Portland and all other seed houses and individuals who so kidnly donated prizes to be given to exhibitors, and to Mr. Gabrielson for the very enjoyable and informative talk he gave.

It would be interesting to give a list of these and the happy recipients, but lack of space forbids.

Mrs. M. N. Hogan left here the middle of the week for northern California, where she will visit her mother, Mrs. Al Tabb, for a week. Mrs. Tabb is recovering from a recent illness.

Miss Wilson Attends April Frolic

Miss Ellowmae Wilson was a guest at the Alpha Xi Delta sorority in Eugene at the April frolic.

She accompanied Mrs. Drury to the University City and attended the frolic, which was held at the new woman's building, dressed as a gypsy maiden. Ellowmae can whistle and sing her way into the hardest of hearts and always finds a cordial welcome everywhere.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert White of this city were in Salem several days this past week, where Mr. White was attending to business matters.

Girls' Quartet Awarded Honors

The Misses Mildred Lawrence, Ellowmae Wilson, Mabel Scheal and Marjorie Hon, the popular Medford high school girls' quartet, won second place in the state musical contest at Forest Grove yesterday.

Miss Wilson drove her car and Miss Church, the accompanist at the piano, took part of the girls in her car.

Miss Claudia Corum left Friday for Seattle, where she will spend several months visiting relatives.

Royal Neighbors Conven ein Ashland

Over 2500 delegates and their families of Royal Neighbors were in Ashland Saturday to attend the annual convention of Royal Neighbors, which is the woman's auxiliary of the Modern Woodmen of America.

Delegates were present from Grants Pass, Central Point, Gold Hill, Jacksonville, Medford, Talent, Klamath Falls, Merrill, Lakeview and New Pine Creek lodges. The convention was in charge of committees, of which Mrs. Mellie L. Sherard of Ashland is president, and Mrs. Abbie Hood of Ashland is secretary.

Initiatory work was held in Odd Fellows hall after luncheon, and a class was inducted into the order with teams from Klamath Falls, Ashland and Medford officiating.

Mrs. Ida Hamilton of Portland, state supervisor, and Mrs. Anna Stallsmith of Medford, district deputy supervisor, were present.

The annual banquet was held in Odd Fellows hall at the close of the afternoon session and afterwards the initiatory work was continued. The program closed with memorial services for deceased members.

Mrs. Frank Preston of the Applegate returned Friday after spending the winter at Tucson, Ariz.

Mrs. Riddle of Grants Pass Guest at Flower Show

Mrs. Riddle, president of the Grants Pass Garden club, was present at the luncheon and flower show given at the Hotel Medford Monday. She was accompanied by Mrs. Geo. Jester, Mrs. A. R. Cornell, Mrs. Eaton, Mrs. Dimmick and others from the "Climate City." These ladies brought flowers and ararnged one long table filled with tulips, daffodils, primroses, etc.

Mrs. Riddle most crodially invited the people of Medford and vicinity to attend a tulip show to be given at the chamber of commerce in Grants Pass Monday and Tuesday of next week, April 29 and 30.

Drake O'Reilly, prominent club man of Portland, is the guest of Colonel Gordon Voorhies over the week-end.

Roosevelt Parent-Teachers Will Meet Thursday

The regular meeting of the Roosevelt Parent-Teachers has been changed from Friday, May 3, to Thursday, May 2.

Special Meeting Lincoln Parnet-Teachers

The Lincoln Parent-Teachers' association will meet Thursday, May 9, instead of on their regular meeting date, Friday, May 3. Because of the graduation class and an interesting speaker, a large attendance is desired.

Mrs. P. Dietrich will be hostess at a card party Tuesday evening, April 30, at her home, 939 North Central avenue.

Announcement Tea For Bride-Elect

At a tea for which Miss Esther McCollom was hostess Sunday afternoon to a group of friends, the wedding date of her sister, Miss Ruth McCollom, was made known. Miss McCollom has chosen June 12 for her marriage to Mr. Clarence Olson of Ritzville, Wash., the ceremony to take place at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. I. N. McCollom.

Spring flowers were used in pretty arrangement about the rooms, and a bowl of yellow tulips centered the tea table.

The invited guests included Misses Lottie Armstrong, Viola Cole, Flossie Combs, Elva Caster, Gladys Frye, Marie Iverson, Bee Seabrooke, Ruth Severance, Elizabeth Watson and Ruth McCollom, Mrs. Ed Carlton, Mrs. David Griffiths, Mrs. I. N. McCollom and the hostess.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Parsons, who have been registered at the Hotel Medford the past week, left Thursday for their home in Portland. Mr. Parsons travels for the Ohio Match company. Mrs. Parsons visited with friends and relatives during her short sojourn in this city.

P. E. O.'s Meet at Mrs. Williams' Home

Chapter AA of P. E. O. met on Wednesday, April 24, at the home of Mrs. L. E. Williams.

Plans for Mothers' day to be observed on May 8 were completed. Mrs. McDonald wil be the hostess and Mrs. Love and Mrs. Adams the social committee in charge, with Mrs. Tumy and Mrs. Roberts arranging the entertainment.

Mrs. Pipes gave some very interesting readings describing a trip through England and especially to the home of the ancestors of both Washington and Lincoln. Mrs. C. D. Thompson reviewed Waugh's "Book of Landscape Gardening" and also brought much interesting information fro mother authorities on landscape work.

Mrs. Williams served dainty refreshments with Mrs. McDonald assisting at the tea table.

Mrs. Docia L. Norris arrived here today from Cottage Grove to spend several days as the guest of Medford relatives.

New Educational Sorority Organized Here.

Miss Henrietta Eckstein of Jarmin and Woods Drug Store, was elected president of the newly organized Medford chapter of Pi Omleron, national educational sorority, at the installation held in the local library Friday night, under the direction of George R. Turner, staff secretary. A. K. Burchardi was elected vice-president, Kathryn I. Smith, secretary, and Viola Templeton, treasurer.

The new chapter started with thirty members and is federated with other chapters of this sorority located throughout the United States. The program is an intensive and interesting course of study, arranged by the University Guild, covering a wide and advanced arrangement of university subjects.

The sole object of the sorority is to prepare its members so that they may attain a greater share in the beauties and benefits of cultural and liberal education.

Miss Elizabeth Richardson, English instructor at the Southern Oregon normal, was made program chairman at the installation meeting, and will act as resident instructor for the local chapter. Miss Richardson is a graduate from the University of Washington, holding both bachelor and master degrees.

Mr. Turner, having completed his work here after a three weeks' stay, will leave tonight for Denver, Colo., where he has been appointed district advisor of the University Guild work.

Miss Eva Nealon, Daily News reporter, left here last night for Eugene where she will visit University of Oregon friends and return to Medford Monday morning.

Alpha Delta Class Has Springtime Party

The Alpha Delta class of First Christian church entertainde with an indoor springtime garden party Thursday afternoon in the church parlors. The president, Mrs. Clyde M. Hon, presided at the business period. Plans for future work, and reports of committees were heard. Several interesting discussions followed and plans for the summer work of the class adopted.

The social hour was in charge of Mrs. Ray Cornwell. Games pertaining to spring and garden planting and of our common plants and flowers, were enjoyed by all present. Refreshments in keeping with the subject and the games of the afternoon were served. Those assisting Mrs. Cornwell were Mrs. Chas. Nauss, Mrs. R. B. Tremaine, Mrs. O. H. Waddell, Mrs. M. L. Wade and Mrs. Lillian Ray. Twenty-five members and several visitors were present.

Miss Mary Wood of Grants Pass visited her nieces, Mrs. H. D. Powell and Miss Clara Wood, of this city during the past week.

Rowena Circle Enjoy Five Hundred Party

The Rowena circle of the Yeomen lodge, with Delia Moore and Lillian Seuber as hostesses, entertained with a progressive five hundred party at the W. O. W. hall Friday evening, April 26. The ladies' high score was made by Kathleen Wilson and low score was made by Helen Wilson, while the men's high score was made by B. H. Harwood and low by Lloyd Stefani.

All present stated they had a very enjoyable evening.

The business meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Latimer, 817 West Second, on Wednesday afternoon, May 1.

Mrs. Madge Gleim is spending the week end in Medford. She is now employed by Copco in Roseburg.

Informal Party Event of the Week.

On Saturday evening, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Gustafson entertained a party of friends most delightfully at their cozy new home on the Jacksonville Highway.

The evening was spent in games and conversation and at its close a two course luncheon was served.

Covers were laid for Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Semple, Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Dixon, Mr. and Mrs. Mold, Mr. and Mrs. C. Mathison, Mr. and Mrs. Pno. R. Tyrrell, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Barber, Mr. Harvey Barrett and his father, Mr. Barrett, Sr., who is visiting in the valley from Montana, Agnes and James Semple and the host and hostess.

Miss Jean Steel left here Friday evening for Eugene, where she will be the guest of her father, William Steel, and University of Oregon friends over the week end.

Klamath County to Participate in Musical Festival

Klamath county has accepted an invitation to join the festival to be given by the Southern Oregon Normal at Ashland May 3.

Winifred Stewart, well known Jackson county teacher, will accompany Mrs. Elizabeth Henderson, supervisor of music, to Ashland, where her classes will participate in the program.

The Dixie club will meet with Mrs. John Crews the first Saturday in May.

Little Miss Gaddis Celebrates Birthday With Party.

Miss Dorothy Gaddis, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Gaddis, celebrated her 8th birthday on Saturday afternoon at her home on East Main street.

Twelve little friends gathered to help celebrate the happy event.

Guests included:

Joan and Leighton Platt, Edward and Shirley Angle, Marjorie McNair, Marjorie Robbins, Helen Mercer, Marjorie Kellogg, Helen Bullis, Stella Newman, Raymond Corwall and Reginald Fifer.

Professional Women's Club Will Meet Soon.

The Medford Business and Professional Women's club will have a "Mother's and Daughter's Night" at their next meeting on Tuesday, May 7, in the Presbyterian church at 8:00 p. m.

Election of officers for the ensuing year will be held.

Each person eligible to vote is requested to get a ballot at the door and vote as early as possible in order that the results of the election may be announced while the meeting is in session.

Each member of the club is expected to bring her mother or the mother of some one else to this meeting. An interesting program has been planned, which will consist of talks, musical numbers and other forms of entertainment which insures an enjoyable evening.

Juvenile N. of W. Has Meeting.

On Saturday afternoon at 2 p. m. the Juveniles of the Neighbors of Woodcraft met in the I. O. O. F. hall.

After their regular meeting a treat was furnished them by the Senior Guardian, Neighbor Lottie Montgomery.

Mr. William Owen of Pontiac, Mich., and John S. Owen of Eau Claire, Wis., will arrive tomorrow and will be guests of their brother, James H. Owen, of Siskiyou hieghts.

Jackson County Health Meet at Mrs. Tyree's

The Medford committee of the Jackson County Health association met with Mrs. Tyree on Gneeva avenue Monday morning, April 22, to finish the sewing and hospital bundles for the year. The women worked until 4 o'clock. Eight members were present. Plans were discussed for the membership drive to take place th efirst two weeks in May. As the Newton bill failed to be passed, which would have continued government asistance in public health work, greater membership and more general interest is necessary if the work is to be carried on as during the past fwe years. The dental and baby clinics are becoming too vital to the community for it to be necessary to have them stopped. So it is to be the aim of the drive this year to interest and inform more people of the work and its integral part in th ehealth fo the people of Jackson county.

St. Ann's Altar society will have regular business meeting at Parish hall Tuesday afternoon.

Chrysanthemum Circle Initiate New Members.

Monday evening, April 22, was the regular social evening of Chrysanthemum Circle No. 84, Neighbors of Woodcraft.

After a short business session, during which four candidates were initiated into the mysteries of Woodcraft and other names balloted upon to become members of the order, circle closed in regular form and the lodge room was opened to visitors and a social dance was enjoyed. Delightful music was furnished by Hayward's Merrymakers.

New Officers Nominated P. T. A. Jackson School.

The regular meeting of the Jackson school P. T. A. was held Friday at 3:00 p. m.

The entertainment consisted of a rehearsal of the drills to be given at the Pear Blossom Festival. There were three drills. The primary gave Clapdans, the 3rd and 4th grades gave Familyette drill, and the 6th grade girls gave a flag drill.

The program was given on the lawn, after which the members went to the assembly room.

The president, Mrs. Waltermire was convalescing at home, so the vice president acted in her place.

A committee for the nominating of officers which was appointed at a former meeting reported that they had failed to agree as there seemed to be so many who had advanced their opinions concerning the offices that it would be safer to have nominations made from the floor, which was done, with the following results: President, Mrs. E. M. Campbell; vice president, Miss Esther McCallom; secretary, Mrs. Mundy, and treasurer, Mrs. Paul Rynning.

The roll call was made and the silk flag will adorn Mrs. Taylor's room.

After the good-of-the-order rounds were made the meeting adjourned until next fourth Friday of May.

Mrs. H. W. Kiersted will entertain the Building Bridge club at her home, 922 South Oakdale, Thursday afternoon.

Miss Lay's Pupils Will Give Dance Revue

Miss Ruth Luy will present her dancing class in a colorful revue at Hunt's Craterian tomorrow evening. Among the entertaining divertisements will be the dance by the skaters group, donned in brilliant orange costumes, also the whoopee dance and the solo number by the Russian girl. More particulars will be given later.

Among those taking part will be Virginia Rians, Peggy Peters, Dorothy Gore, Marjorie Lewis, Zora Dell Lantis, Betty Johnston, Rosa Gore, Maxine Vaughan, Jane Antle, Ethel Chord, Frankie Rinaharger, Barbara Ann Brayton, Mignon Phipps, Nancy Morrow, Charlotte Older, Janet Rush, Frances Wilson Clark, Jean Pease, Patricia Croup, Janet, Peter, Nona Heyland, Emily Tyree, Elise Older, Dale and Gale Beebe, Dorothea Wilson.

Interesting Meeting W. C. T. U. Thursday

One of the enjoyable gatherings of the week was held Thursday afternoon when the members and friends of the W. C. T. U. met with Mrs. W. T. Berry at her home on Crater Lake avenue. The president, Mrs. H. E. McDonald was in charge, the meeting being opened with a hymn. Miss Lucile Van Ness gave a helpful and inspiring message in the devotional service.

After the business session in which plans were made for the visit of the state president, Mrs. Jolly, who comes in May, the program opened with a duet, "In the Garden," by Mrs. A. E. Lyman and Mrs. Raymond Doran. Readings were given on the flower mission and relief work. Mrs. T. G. Heine gave a humorous recitation, "Mr. Brown Has His Hair Cut." A very interesting message was given by Mrs. Detweiler, who spoke of the early days of the W. C. T. U. and of her personal acquaintance with Frances Willard. The program closed with a musical selection.

Mrs. Prescott and Mrs. Thomas served refreshmens.

The next meeting, May 9th, will be a Mothers' Day service, with a special program in charge of Mrs. J. C. Woods. There will be refreshments and a silver offering in aid of the work.

Eve Benson's Class Plan Fancy Revue

The fourth annual dance revue by pupils of the Eve Benson Dancing cademy, will be held at Hunt's Craterian May 13th and 14th, when several difficult and beautiful numbers will be executed, among them being an interpretive one, "The Moth," a toe number. A charming group dance, "Pierette," also another toe number. A soft-shoe number by three dancers, who also execute a routine in rapid tap work. "The Varsity Drag," a musical comedy number, with peppy work from start to finish, by two girls whom Ziegfeld would not overlook if he were a local visitor. And Valentino's Tango, "El Sacristan," a number full of beautiful and intricate movements, by a local girls and boy who will endeavor to do absolute justice to so lovely a number.

Again this year the photographs of all the dancers will be taken by Verne Shangle.

Degree of Honor Protective Association Meeting

The Degree of Honor Protective association held their regular monthly meeting in the Modern Woodmen hall Friday, April 26, with a good attendance. The state vice president, Mrs. Eva Traver, of Portland, was present and gave a short interesting talk. Miss Eula Beson had charge of the program.

Mrs. Norman and Mrs. Kempke served refreshments, after which a social hour was enjoyed by all.

Old Friend Visits at Camp Catharine

Mr. Grant Bixler of Merriman, Neb., was a suprise guest at the home of Mrs. Catherine Norman Law Monday, not having seen Mrs. Law or Mrs. Barto for ten years.

Mr. Bixler was here in Medford a few years ago and since that time he and his wife have visited many places looking for just the right place to select a home.

This past winter has been spent in Long Beach and various California winter resorts.

Mr. Bixler has about decided to locate in or near Medford, as he says he likes it best of any place he has been.

Mrs. Bixler, too, has been here before, and is now in Tucson, Ariz., but will join her husband here, when the decisdon will be made as to their future home.

It speaks well for Medford if people, after searching four years for a suitable location, will find that after all it lingers with them with enough good points to bring them back. It must be "the city of attractions."

Clubs Represented At District Federation

The following eighteen clubs were represented by ninety-two delegates holding membership in the First District Federation this year which was held in Ashland, Friday and Saturday. The entire membership amounted to 848.

Greater Medford Woman's club; Mrs. R. V. Williams, president. 112 members. Object: To promote a spirit of comradeship; to stimulate intellectual development; to strengthen by organization, philantrophic and reformatory efforts; and to work together for the best interests of Medford.

Illinois Valley Garden Club (Kerby); Mrs. Harry O. Smith, president. 45 members. Object: To conserve and enhance the natural beauty of our community; to promote better gardens for better homes; and by study, to gain a more comprehensive knowledge of horticulture.

Klamath Agency Women's club; Mrs. C. E. Briggs and Mrs. McMillan, presidents. 25 members. Object: The united effort toward self and civic improvement and sociability, working toward the broadening of mind, excluding all pettiness and personalities.

Klamath Falls Woman's Liberty club; Mrs. G. R. Lindley, president. 200 members. Object: Civic betterment.

Lakeview Welfare club; Mrs George Johnson, president. 12 members. Object: The centralization of earnest women of the community into a common body for social betterment, and to co-operate with other organizations working along the same lines.

Port Orford Women's club. Mrs. Louis Knapp, president. 33 members. Object: To serve the highest interests of home and community.

Rogue River Civic Improvement; Mrs. Elsie Grimmett, president. 36 members. Object: The civic improvement of Rogue River.

Talent Community club; Rs. C. F. Estes, and rs. L. O. Penland, presidents. 30 members. Object: To unite the women of this community for social, educational civic, and legislative improvement.

Tol Community club; Mrs. Andy Buckles, president. 16 members. Object: To bring all the people in this community together for social, educational and community improvement.

Upper Valley Community club; (Bellview); Mrs. Wade Wallace, president. 43 members. Object: To promote a friendly community spirit, and a general cooperation for mutual benefit along any line whatsoever.

Valley View Community club, (Talent); Mrs. John Farmer president. 30 members. Object: 1. To promote social welfare and education in the community. 2. To cooperate with any or all women's clubs of the community.

Ashland Monday Study club, Mrs. Estelle Albert, president. 12 members. Object: To acquire knowledge along all lines which are of generol interest; to exchange news on current events; to promote social enjoyment among the members.

Ashland Women's Civic Improvement; Mrs. Henry Enders, president. 105 members. Object: To assist in beautifying the city of Ashland; to encourage enterprises that will beter conditions and add to the development, comfort, and pleasure of the people of said city.

Bonanza Women's club; Mrs. Fred Rueck, president. 36 members. Object: The unification of the women of Bonanza into a body for social betterment, and for personal improvement.

Coleman Creek Woman's club; Mrs. E. J. White, president. 21 members. Object: To benefit the community, socially, educationally, industrially.

Eagle Point Civic Improvement; Mrs. William H. Brown, president; 30 members. Object: To assist in improving Eagle Point, and to benefit the community socially and educationally.

Gold Beach Community club; Mrs. Charles F. Morse, president. 28 members. Object: The development of our members, our neighbors, our schools, and our town along social, intellectual, civic and philantrophic lines.

Grants Pass Women's club; Mrs. H. L. Wilson, president. 40 members. Object: To develop the finest qualities of the mind and heart, that we may serve the highest interests of Home and Community.

Medford Clubs Have Joint Meeting.

The Greater Medford Club combined with the Medford Garden Club held a joint meeting at the Hotel Medford Monday and Tuesday, commencing with a business meeting and luncheon on Monday and continuing through Monday p. m. and Tuesday, with the wild flower and bulb show.

Mrs. Carl Swigart, president of the Medford Garden Club was general hostess at the whole affair, presiding most graciously at the luncheon and acting as mistress of ceremonies. She was assisted by Mrs. R. V. Williams, President of the Greater Medford Club.

About one hundred ladies and two men sat down to luncheon together on Monday and these enjoyed the interesting talk given by Mr. H. U. Gabrielson and others.

The Girls' Quartette of the Medford High School, made up of the Misses Ellowmae Wilson, Mildred Lawrence, Mabel Scheal and Marjorie Hon, sang two enjoyable selections and were accompanied by Miss Genevieve Brown at the piano.

Miss Ellowmae Wilson sang a beautiful solo. She was accompanied by Miss Esther Churche at the piano.

The flower show was held in the main lobby of the hotel. It was primarally a wild flower and bulb show, though a few other beauties creot in and bid for recognition.

The rock plants and wild mountain things were esepecially noteworthy and as they are Mr. Gabrielson's specialty he dwelt at greater lengtht on those, giving from his own abundant store of knowledge and quoting H. H. Thomas, an English authority, and others.

In speaking of rock gardening he said it was neither mysterious nor difficult, only to start with be sure you build right, keeping a few pertinent points in mind when building, i. e.:

Lay all rock with largest surface down and bury them two-thirds in the ground.

Tilt your rocks back so that water can get to the roots, a bank is best to build on.

Have place for plants that love shade and another for sun loving varieties.

Porus and absorbent rocks are best and one should use all the same kind.

Most alpines love lots of sun but roots must be cool and moist and have depth of soil, but if this is heavy use crushed bits of rock under it and mix in some sand and gravel. Leaf mold helps.

Be sure the earth is firmly packin in crevices and about rocks, so as not to wash away.

Don't place rocks over hanging or built under drip of trees or close to buildings.

Use rough, uneven, large rocks. Not many smooth, small ones.

Don't display mason work; conceal it, and build for alpine flowers not to show the rocks.

It is possible to spend an endless amount of money on rockeries, but it is not necessary. The mountains are full of little beautiese fairly begging to come in, but don't dig them up when in bloom. Mark the place and go baeck later.

Many, many alpines can be grown in one rockery, as they are of ecompact habit and your rock garden can be a regular diadem of dazzling jewels with very little expense.

The large volcanic rocks one can find when enroute to Grater Lake are very light in weight and porous and should make good foundations for little alpine plants. ury some deep enough so that little tendrils can twine into and around them.

Alpines are just relatives of the regular lowland plants, which have accommodated themselves to their surroundings and environments, adapting their stature to the climatic and other conditions. In fact, making the best of life where they find themselves.

Theese dwarfs are to be found in all mountain ranges over the world and we are especially fortunate here in having them, just, as it were, under our hands.

One of the best American alpines is the dwarf phlox, of which Oregon has a goodly supply, in white, lavender and pink.

In addition to these, we have many penstemons, saxifragas, erythroniums lambs tongues), dodocatheons (bird-bills), brodiaas, lilies, asters, Ranunculus and many others as yet strangers to our gardens.

For ground cover and carpetry, the creeping thymes are best, with Sagina very good, also Sedums are valuable creepers.

Some shrubbery is necessary in a well balanced rock garden and add greatly to its beauty.

For small rockeries use tiny shrubs.

It is amazing, and very thrilling to go out along the creeks at this time of year and explore around, esepecially up in the high hills, along the mountain streams and see what maravelous plants one can discover. The many varieties of moss, beautiful ferns and brilliant blossoms; these are all just emerging from their winter sleep, and peeping up to greet the searcech.

Mrs. M. E. Lytle who has been spending the winter in Los Angeles stopped off in Medford last week to visit her friend Mrs. R. C. Minear, en route to her home in Portland.

Miss Elizabeth Watson Entertains for Bride-to-Be.

Complimenting Miss Ruth McCollom, whise marriage will take place in the near future, Miss Elizabeth Watson entertained with a kitchen shower Thursday evening.

The honored guest was the recipient of many useful gifts from her friends.

Following an informal social evening refreshments were served by the hostess.

Misses Ruth McCollom, Ester McCollom, Marie Iverson, Beatrice Seabrooke, Elva Caster, Lottie Armstrong, Jessie MacNiven, Myrtle Tobey, Gladys Frye.

Junior-Senior Banquet at Rogue River Academy.

Here's to the Juniors of '29. They deserve all the praise and honor that the Seniors can give them after their splendid showing of organization and good-will last Wednesday evening. Each of the seniors were presented with a very clever invitation card decorated with the proverbial bird of wisdom and with the wording showed us that we were to be honored by a banquet at the academy. Needless to say we were all here on time and were immediately escorted to the "drawing room." Savory odors from below were almost too much for our keen appetites. We managed to keep our seats until the signal was given for the partners to meet and march to the dining rooms.

The sight that met our eyes verified our suspicions. The general color scheme of the room was red and white and the Juniors themselves displayed the same colors. We found that these were the Junior class colors.

The Junior president was host and the secretary hostess. After dinner the Senior president was called upon to talk about "The Senior Ideals" and the Junior president of '18 about "When I was a Junior last year." Elder Bunch on "Efficiency and organization of Seniors." And very fittingly James Schuler was asked to orate on "The quick production of the senior mustache."

I can honestly say that the Juniors of '29 are the liviest, best organized and most efficient in the history of R. R. A.—(Contributed).

Social Events of Church Societies

The Woman's Foreign Missionary society of the southern district of the Methodist Episcopal church will hold a group meeting Tuesday in the First M. E. church. Visitors invited.

Ladies' Aid Society Enjoy Home Coming

The Ladies' Aid society of the First M. E. church met in regular home coming Tuesday afternoon in the church parlors. Vice President Mrs. George Kunzman presiding. Song, "America the Beautiful", Bible lesson, Psalms 19, read by Mrs. Kunzman. Miss May Phipps offering prayer.

Song, "Love Divine." In behalf of the Just Folks circle, Mrs. Godwin Humphrey presented Nelle Green, Ruby Stone, Barbara Wall in two songs, "Merry Life", "Kentucky Babe", Miss Margaret Childers, accompanist. Mrs. Floyd Jenkins gave two excellent readings, "Auntie Dolcful's Visit" and "Innocence."

During the social hour the Just Folks served sandwiches, pickles, cakes, coffee.

Honor guests were Mrs. Olen Arnspiger, Mrs. Floyd Jenkins, Misses Margaret Childers, Nelle Green, Ruby Stone, Barbara Wall.

Golden Link Class Entertained by Mrs. Thurman

Mrs. Thurman was hostess to the Golden Link class of the First Baptist church Thursday afternoon. The study topic, "Truth," was given by Mrs. Coe in a very pleasing manner.

The president, Mrs. C. A. Whitlock, conducted a short business session, followed by a social hour.

Refreshments were served by the committee, Messrs. Thurman, Brock, Hibbard a nd Edler. There were 20 ladies and five babies present.

Women's Bible Class Has Social Meeting

The Woman's Bible class of the First Presbyterian church met in social and business meeting Tuesday afternoon in the church parlors. Mrs. McMath led the devotionals. She took as her subject "The Light." She made it plain that if we have the light of Christ in our hearts that it will reflect in our lives and faces.

The secretary then called the roll, 20 members answering with a verse of scripture. The new officers of the class were then installed, Mrs. John White, assisted by Mrs. J. W. Merrett, acted as installing officer. Mrs. H. D. Pennington, President; Mrs. G. E. Garrett, vice president; Mrs. I. N. McCollom, secretary; Mrs. W. A. Walters, treasurer; Mrs. L. D. Hodgkins, organist; Mrs. Simkins, organist; Mrs. E. H. Warner, teacher, and Mrs. Bell Littrell, class mother. The president hen appointed her standing committee for the year, after which the meeting was given over to the social committee, Mrs. G. E. Garrett, Mrs. O. B. Morrow, Mrs. Dolpho Phipps and Mrs. Dodge, who served lovely refreshments. A social hour was enjoyed by all.

Mrs. Fields will be hostess next meeting, when a strawberry festival will be held.

MANY LOCAL PARTIES BEING ARRANGED FOR DOVER ROAD, VINING

Word that "The Dover Road" first production by the Studio Players, little theatre group, which played at the local Isis Theatre last week to capacity crowds, would be presented at the Vining Theatre in Ashland this coming Friday night at eight thirty has been received with enthusiasm by a number of local theatre goers, who plan on attending the presentation in the southern city.

Numerous theatre parties are being arranged, both among adults and high school students of Medford, who will be able to reserve their seats here at Brown's Crowson's and the Palmer Music House for the show.

Parties are also being planned in Ashland, among normal students and drama lovers, who welcome the chance to see the clever A. A. Milne comedy, put on by this talented cast of players under the direction of Tom Swem. The local actors who play leading parts in "The Dover Road" include: Jo Murray Rostel, Gene Wright, Mary Greiner, Harry Goold, Fred McKeen and Bob Miksche.

HUNTS BACK FROM AIRPLANE JOURNEY

Mr. and Mrs. George A. Hunt have returned from an aeroplane trip to Portland and Seattle. They spent a week in the Northwest on business and visiting friends and relatives.

It was Mrs. Hunt's first air jaunt, and she enjoyed it immensely. She claimed that she was more nervous riding through the traffic from the air field to a Portland hotel, than on the plane journey from this city.

Another thrill was the flight from Seattle to Tacoma in thirteen minutes.

REDWOOD CITY, Cal., April 27.—(AP)—Gabriel Zopfi, held for investigation after Thomas Curtis shot and killed himself while driving an automobile down the highway near here, was freed when sheriff's officers decided he could have had no connection with the tragedy.